Newsletter 7th February 2021

Anniversaries:

Sunday 7th February 11.00 am

Paddy McLoughlin Glasha Talann and Coolbane 6th anniversary Ned (Nom) Ryan Kathleen & Paddy Ryan Croughmakeen Jer & Mai Bray Cliggin & Toher Rd. John Quigley Lacka Anne Kennedy Clonlusk Months Mind **Sunday 14th February 11.00 am** Thomas Ryan Assumption Terrace and his father Jimmy Toomaline Lower anniversaries Bridget Bradshaw Glengar 2nd anniversary & her mother and father in law Helen & Martin Bradshaw anniversaries Ned Quigley Reenavanna

Weekly Envelopes:

A big thank you to all who continue to support your Parish through the weekly envelope. You may put them in the secure boxes in the church or put them in the letterbox of the parochial house. Donations may also be made on line by visiting the Parish Website <u>doonparish.ie</u>

Masses during Week 8th Feb-12th Feb Monday 9.30, Tuesday 9.30, Wednesday 7.30pm, Friday 7.30pm All Masses are broadcast on 105.1 and live streamed.

Monday 8th Feb is the International Day of Prayer and Awareness against Human Trafficking. Wednesday 10th Feb is the memorial of St Scholastica, virgin. Thursday 11th Feb is World Day of the Sick, and the memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes.

Prayer for the Sick

Lord God, you are calling us today to come to you to be forgiven, refreshed, strengthened, healed, and made new again. We answer that call and come to you. You welcome all our needs. Look into our hearts and see our deepest needs. And as long ago your compassion reached out to everyone, let it now move you once again to give us faith and hope, to forgive all our sins and to heal our pains, wounds or diseases. Amen.

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. (St Alphonsus de Liguori)

Season of Lent:

Next Wednesday week is Ash Wednesday (17th February). More information on distribution of Blessed Ashes may be available hopefully by next week end along with some information on Trocaire Boxes.

Lent at the Abbey 2021 (Encountering Jesus with St Benedict)

A series of talks will take place at 2pm each Saturday during Lent beginning on Saturday 20th Feb and concluding on Saturday 27th of March. All talks will be live streamed at 2pm at <u>www.glenstal.com/abbey/webcam</u> click "Talks" recordings available later.

Level 5 Covid 19 Restrictions and what they mean for our faith community

At Level 5, the public health risk means that you will be asked to stay at home, with certain exceptions. There will be no gatherings other than small numbers at funerals and weddings.

Religious services

Religious services move online. **Sunday Mass 11.00 am** broadcast on Parish Radio and live streamed on parish website doonparish.ie

Places of worship may remain open for private prayer. The Church will be open from after Mass until 6pm each day.

Funerals

Up to 10 mourners can attend.

Weddings

Up to 6 guests are permitted to attend a wedding ceremony and reception, whether indoors or outdoors.

Domestic travel restrictions

Stay at home.

Exercise as close to home as possible.

You must stay within your county unless you need to leave for essential purposes, as follows:

- * travel to and from work, where work involves providing an essential service
- * to attend medical appointments and collect medicines and other health products
- * travel to attend disability day services
- * travel to attend a court

* for vital family reasons, such as providing care to children, elderly or vulnerable people, and in particular for those who live alone but excluding social family visits

- * for farming purposes (food production or care of animals)
- * to attend a wedding or funeral
- * to visit a grave
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COVID-19 Support Line for Older People: ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am – 8pm, by phoning 0818 222 024.

Doon GAA Notes

To Any of Our Elderly or Vulnerable Members/Friends of Doon GAA Struggling to Cope at This Difficult Time With Social Distancing Measures in Place. The Doon Seniors Will be Available to Help With Grocery Shopping, Picking up Prescriptions etc. Please Contact us Through our Facebook Page or Doon GAA Phone - 085 8045223

Lotto Numbers Monday February 1st 2021

Cut Off Time for Online Sales is 8pm every Monday.
Jackpot €3,800
Numbers Drawn 2-3-12-29
One Match 3s @ €30 each
1. Michael Hayes, Cooga
10 Lucky Dips at €20 each
1. Mary Ita McGrath, Nicker.
2. Denis Kennedy, Cooga.
3. Patricia Ryan, Moher West, Cappawhite. (Online).
4. Rob O'Connell,Moanduff.
5. Mary Doherty O'Grady, Newtown. (Online).
6. T. Howard, Doon.
7. Patrick Howard, Kilnamanagh, Dublin 24. (Online).
8. Brian & Jack c/o Ann McPartland.

Lotto Tickets can be purchased in Doon at O'Sullivans Centra & Damien Richardson Butchers.

9. Cathal & Jules c/o Pat Whelan.

10. Con Hayes, Glenstal, Murroe (Online).

Promoters Prize, €25: Pat O'Donovan

Next week's Jackpot €4,000. Draw will be held in Clubhouse on February 8th 2021.